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Sent Via U.S. Mail and Email: cela@fec.gov

Re: MUR 7500

Dear Attorney Allen:

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I am writing in response to your letter, dated April 5, 2019, to Judge Gillian Abramson regarding allegations of a complaint brought by Baboucar Taal. Judge Abramson recently retired from full-time service as a Superior Court Judge and was out of state caring for a relative so there was a delay in her receipt of your letter. Mr. Taal is a litigant who has appeared in matters before Judge Abramson and has brought numerous complaints as a result. I have contacted the New Hampshire Attorney General's Office who will represent Judge Abramson in this matter and provide a written response for your consideration. I would respectfully request an extension until May 3, 2019 for that response to be submitted along with the Statement of Designation of Counsel. Thank you in advance for your consideration of the request.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Mary Ann Dempsey General Counsel Cc: Honorable Gillian A. Abramson
Nancy Smith, Senior Assistant Attorney General